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Docket No.
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| Serial No. | Filing Date | Examiner | Group Art Unit |
| 09/754,378 | January 5, 2001 | Arthur D. Duran | 3622 |

Applicant: Craig W. BARNETT, et al.

Invention: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ELECTRONIC DISTRIBUTION OF PRODUCT REDEMPTION COUPONS

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| Independent Claims | 2 | - 9 = | 0 | X \$43.00 | \$0.00 |
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2. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (in duplicate);
3. Amendment Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
4. Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE);
5. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
6. Form PTO-1449 (3 pages) with seventy (70) references attached; and
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mination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29,
ider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d)
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isional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off.
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